

Dr. Konrad Morgen

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Affidavit

I, Dr. Konrad Morgen, at present in the: Court prison in Nurnberg, have been advised that I shall render myself liable to punishment if I give a false affidavit. I declare on oath that my statement is true and was made in order to be submitted as evidence to the Military Tribunal No. I, the Palace of Justice, Nürnberg Germany.

The concentration camps were supplied with medical supplies by the Medical Depot in Berlin. Among those was prussic acid which was used for the delousing of clothing and of barracks in the concentration camps.

I know, having been SS-judge in the concentration camps, that there was a shortage of medical supplies for concentration camps. There were constant complaints that the allocation was insufficient. This was especially true of Auschwitz and its supply of prussic acid, as the camp in Auschwitz was very large and as epidemics were frequent due to constant changes of the inmates. I have been informed that the witness Heese, interrogated in the course of the IMT trial, stated that prussic acid for the extermination camp at Auschwitz was supplied by the office of Mrukowski. This assertion seems improbable to me, examining judge in Auschwitz. With reference to the gases used for extermination I heard from the camp administration that it was supplied by the firm Stolzenberg & Co in Hamburg.

Then returning empty prussic acid containers from the extermination camp at Auschwitz, the remains of some prussic acid had once been returned to Hamburg in container. This had led to strong representations on the part of the firm. Investigation had shown that a gipsy working in the extermination camp was responsible. Through the relating of this incident I learnt - and I have remembered - that the firm Stolzenberg & Co. supplied the extermination camp near Auschwitz directly.

(signed) Dr. Morgen.

The above signature of Dr. Konrad Morgen given in the presence of me, Fritz Flemming, attorney and notary, is herewith certified and witnessed by me.

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(signed) Fritz Flemming